

You can access the Water Quality Portal: <https://www.waterqualitydata.us/> use the online form to search for available water quality data. You do not need to fill in every search field, only the ones of interest. We recommend that you search on a State(s) of interest, specify the Sample Media of Water (NWIS/STEWARDS/STORET), and a Characteristic Group of PFAS and/or PFOA (see image below). You could limit the date range as appropriate. If you want to download data results, you should select “Sample Results (physical/chemical metadata)”. If you want to see sample locations matching the parameters, you should select to download “Site Data Only”.

**Data Source** ⓘ

- ☒ NWIS (USGS)
- ☒ STEWARDS (ARS)
- ☒ WQX (EPA)

**Date Range** ⓘ

Dates should be entered as mm-dd-yyyy, mm-yyyy, or yyyy from:

mm-dd-yyyy

to:

mm-dd-yyyy

**Sample Media** ⓘ

Water (NWIS, STEWARDS, STORET) ▾

**Characteristic Group** ⓘ

- All Characteristic Groups
- Organics, Pesticide (NWIS, STEWARDS, STORET)
- Periphyton (NWIS, STORET)
- PFAS, Perfluorinated Alkyl Substance (NWIS, STORET)**
- PFOA, Perfluorooctanoic Acid (STORET)
- Physical (NWIS, STEWARDS, STORET)